Answers To All Your Problems!

The following is the key to answers of the college readings test: The Rockefeller Report

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The Public Philosophy

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6 c, 7 b, 8 c, 9 b, 10 b,

11 a, 12 a, 13 a, 14 a, 15 a,

16 d, 17 b, 18 b, 19 d, 20 a,

21 a, 22 d, 23 b, 24 d, 25 b,

26 c, 27 a, 28 b, 29 c, 30 a,

31 c, 32 a, 33 b, 34 b.

Reading Program Here To Stay, States Boyd

Seniors, Juniors Have 27 Median; Frosh At 25 Beat Sophs At 23

By Millie Howe

The test results for the required reading selections held Thursday, December 3, have been calculated, and plans for next semester's program are underway.

Both Dean William Boyd and Dr. Henry Klugh agree that the test results were encouraging. "But," says Dr. Klugh, "they aren't as good as we would like to see them."

Notice of one, or possibly two, of the titles for next semester's reading will be given before Christmas vacation. Whether or not additional titles are assigned will depend on the faculty's appraisal of the difficulty of the

Choir Presents

ning Chapel.

centuries.

Varied Program

The annual Alma College

Christmas concert was present-

ed December 9 at 8 p.m. in Dun-

Ernest Sullivan, head of the

Music department, the Choir

began its concert with a candle-

light procession and presented

both beloved carols ad classical

works from the 16th and 17th

Bridge lessons will continue

in the Tyler Main Lounge on

Under the direction of Dr.

first two books selected. The next testing is planned for around the middle of February, according to Dr. Klugh.

Before all future tests, it has been suggested that organized discussion groups be held which might help to raise the level of understanding and test results.

The items for the first test on the reading program, which were to determine the understanding of the required reading selections, were compiled by Dr. Klugh and screened by a faculty committee.

Students received notices of their achievement on the first test via campus mail from the Registrar's office. Results are classified as "excellent,"
"satisfactory," and "unsatisfactory." The percentile scores (which indicate the percentage of scores lower than yours) are also indicated.

The median (middle score in the distribution) was a little over 25 out of 50 items correct. The senior and junior classes each had a median of 27; the sophomores, 23; and the freshmen, 25.

Dean Boyd wishes to call special attention to the standing of the freshman class since he incorrectly stated its position in an announcement to the students Tuesday. Scores will be averaged for the various campus living units at a later date.

Approximately 10% of the students received "excellent" scores, and an equal amount had "unsatisfactory" notations. The remaining 80 per cent of the students had "satisfactory" scores. The distribution of scores was approximately normal, according to Dr. Klugh.

The test results will appear on students' permanent records and will be in the words of Dean Boyd "one of a number of indications of ability and achievement which the college accumulates."

However, an unsatisfactory result from this test will not See-Reading-page 2

Marin To Speak to **Spanish Students**

Approximately 90 Spanish student when the student were at 7:15 P. M. pecember 15, in Van mmons for a Christ-

in Marin, sophomore Josta Rica, will speak on stmas in Costa Rica," foling a dinner. Spanish Cnristmas carols and the traditional pinata will add to the festivities.

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Fri., Dec. 11, 1959

The women's residence halls will hold open houses Sunday afternoon, 2-4.

Two NSA Reps. On Campus

Two National Student Association representatives from Wayne State University were on campus yesterday. Leon Cohen, N. S. A. Registration Chairman, and Gene Konstent, Public Relations Chairman, stopped here on their way to the Upper Peninsula where they are to visit several schools concerning new membership in

An informal luncheon and meeting with Alma Student Council members began at 11:15. The N.S.A. representatives discussed Alma's role as a member of the organization.

Four To Debate At U of III.

Four Alma College debaters will participate in the Freshman-Sophomore Debate Tourney at the University of Illinois on December 12, under the coaching of Harold Mikle, head of the Speech Department.

The students are Linda Lucy, Flint and Gary Miller, Pontiac for the affirmative; Sue Keck, Saginaw and Harold Cook, Marshall on the negative.

Phillips Attends Lansing Meeting

Mr. Roy Phillips attended a meeting of the Board of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, of which he is a member, in Lansing on December 4.

The Wesley Fellowship will meet for a Christmas Breakfast at Mrs. Moody's at 512 N. State Street on Sunday, December 13.

Senior Women Top Semester 146 Avgs.

Registrar Releases Latest Figures; Frosh. Women Slide

Senior women lead the campus point standings by groups for the spring semester (146), according to information released this week by the Registrar's office. Ranking second was Bruske House, with Delta Sigma Phi fraternity and Alpha Theta sorority ranking a very close third and fourth, respectively.

All seniors ranked in the 5th place at 1.78; all juniors in the 13th place with 1.55; all sophomores ranked 24th at 1.40; and all freshmen were in the 31st place with an overall 1.25.

In the last place were fresh-@ men men with an overall of 1.16. This is an improvement over the last place average of 1.01 held by the same group during the fall semester of last

These statistics indicate that for a whole academic year there was no group which collectively had an average below a one point. The high for semester 145 was 1.8, the high for semester 146 was 1.93. A low of 1.01 for the previous semester rose to 1.16.

In comparing the averages of semester 146 with 145 Delta

AST's, Sig Tau's **Hold Holly House**

The Holly House put on by the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity and Alpha Sigma Tau sorority will be held in the Sig Tau fraternity house on Friday, December 11.

The Holly House will begin at 8:00 p.m. and continue until 10:30. Continuous entertainment will be featured through out the evening. The frater ty and sorority combined v put on a skit concerning the days of Christmas.

All students are invited attend.

Sigma Phi fraternity and Alpha Theta sorority show decided improvement as they raised their respective averages from 1.55 to 1.79 (Delt Sigs) and 1.57 to 1.79, thus climbing from 6th place to 3rd in the case of the Delt Sigs, and from 8th place to the fourth in the case of the

As a whole, semester 146 showed standings generally on the rise. There were only three groups which took dips in their standings. The most disastrous of these dives was by the freshman women who slid from first place with a previous average of 1.8, to the 25th place with an average of 1.3.

The two other drops may be regarded as a result of the slide by the freshman women. Pioneer Hall (freshman women) dropped from 1.51 to 1.42. The Freshman class as a whole slid from 1.42 to 1.25.

Below is a complete list comparing the averages for semesters 145 and the spring semes-

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12	3.	Delta Sigma Ph	i	
		Fraternity	1.79	1.55
to	4.	Alpha Theta		
		sorority	1.79	1.57
	5.	All Seniors	1.78	
	6.	Delta Sigma Ph		
MA.		House	1.73	1.61
	7.		1.72	1.64
	8.	Junior Women		
	9.	Kappa Iota		
100		sorority	1.66	1.60
	10.	Alpha Sigma Ta		1.00
		sorority	1.62	1.47
	11.	Town Women		1.54
	12.	Mary Gelston	1,00	110,1
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Rankings in Wright Hall according to units: McPherson (4th floor) 1.32 Stewart (2nd floor) 1.55 Bruce (1st floor) McDougal (3rd floor) 1.10

All Freshmen

32. Freshmen Men 1.16 1.01

NOTICE

"Rebel Without A Cause" will be shown at the Dow Auditorium tonite at 7:15. The movie stars James Dean and Natalie Wood.

Admission will be 10 cents.

Tuesday, December 15.

Calendar of Events

Friday, December 11	13
"Rebel Without A Cause"—Dow Auditorium	7:15
AST, STG Holly House—Sig Tau House	8:00
Saturday, December 12	
Basketball game Adrian—Phillips Gym	8:00
Sunday, December 13	
Christmas Vespers—Dunning Chapel	6:30
Square and Folk Dancing-Tyler Auditorium	7:15
Wednesday, December 16	
Basketball game CMU-Phillips Gym	8:00
Thursday, December 17	
AWS Christmas Party—Gelston Hall	10:30
Convocation—Dunning Chapel	10:00
Debate—Alma vs. Albion	

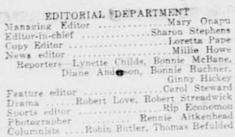
Ready Gifts For Annual Party

One hundred gifts were repaired and wrapped at the A. C. A. workshop held December 3 for the Mexican children's Christmas party which will take place Saturday, December 12. Twenty-five gifts were made ready to be wrapped by parents who will be in attendance at the party. Other gifts will be donated by Alma stores to make up the quota of 200

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All news items, Tuesday, 5:30 p.m. except by prior arrangement with the Editor-in-Chief.
All photographs to be used in the paper must be in by Tuesday Noon of the week of publication desired.

Deadlines

REB's yell

After walking through a Gelston lobby full of BMOCs (Beautiful Material for Our College), it is good to reflect on the objective reality postulated by the presented pulchritude, in regards to the fact that not all of our coeds, by a long shot, spend their evenings neath the shade of the old chapel rear.

Ah, the foibles of our society! Hand-holding is so much more delicious when done in the dark, Ties of male companions can be straightened, collars adjusted, books referred to, intellectual conversations complete with gestures can be initiated between the sexes most easily in the frigid blackness just beyond lighted doorways. At least, this is how it appears to one as one gallups discreetly by.

What is the nature of fresh, young love that it must perpetuate the ancient and honorable custom of symbolic secrecy?

Behold yonder couple in the twilight zone. An aggregate of 430 pounds, safely hidden behind a 4-inch tree.

Yet again! Else you may miss

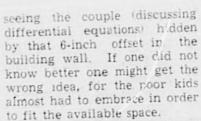
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But see! Protruding past you potted plant (lounging is appropriate in the lounge, of course), three feet! Oh there's the other one. Note the cobbled conver-

Saddle shoes, heel on toe: "You're not the only fish in the pond" (which interpreted means there will be more required reading).

Black male oxfords side by side, toes straight up: "Aw honey, just one more kiss" (interpreted: the faculty never gives us a break).

Female saddles, quick breakaway to flat-footed stance on coffee-table: "Not unless you promise (here wind rustles the palms obscuring voice)" (fractional translation: I bet one is two vol---).

Male oxfords, wilting slowly toward the saddles: "Beautiful, beautiful, m-m-m-m" (translation: Naw, I hear they're gonna recommend (?) (there is no appropriate English translation for the word "m-m-m-m").

From time to time familiar phrases come from the bashful brogans: "engagement ring" (long-range planning); "Friday night date" (midsemester examination); "solo time" (academic

standards). See? Thou dried-up prune who lovest no more, the language is UNIVERSAL, cans't thou not comprehend?

Isn't it wonderful! All this, and Walden Two.

Reading

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be of extreme consequence unless the overall pattern of future reading test results is unsatisfactory.

For the freshman class, a satisfactory pattern of scores is a graduation requirement. "To upperclassmen, an important consequence of their records on this program is that their performance will be appraised whenever the College is required to make judgments concerning individual students," according to Dean Boyd.

Dean Boyd feels that anyone who read the selections and understood the thesis of each should have been able to do satisfactory work on the test. The phrase "reading for pleasure," which was made concerning one of the readings, may have been misinterpreted. The enjoyment in reading is comprehension, not just superficial scanning.

Says Dean Boyd, "I think that it is safe to say that the reading program is here to stay. Studies have repeatedly shown that college students read very little except for the assigned text books . . . We hope to introduce you to a wide range of reading.'

Woodard Shows Slides

Doug Woodard, Battle Creek sophomore, presented to the French Club a program of slides and a description of his trip to Europe during the summer of 1956. Seven members and guests were present at 8:00 P.M. in the Chapel basement Thursday, December 3.

Scientists Tutor Linguistic Robot

Computer Is Being 'Taught' to Translate Scientific Articles From Russian

An electronic mental giant thriving on a diet of complex scientific problems was ready for work this week on the University of California campus.

A segment of the Berkeley faculty, on hand for a preview, heard a prediction that the newest campus addition would be able to translate a whole Soviet scientific journal in less than

The device, an International Business Machines 704 computer, is looked to for determining the life span of stars and for providing answers to many questions related to nuclear particles and their interactions. The computer, occupying in the basement of Campbell Hall as much floor space as a three bedroom modern house, is of a type in use by a number of laboratories and industries in the

California and IBM spokesmen said, however, that its installation here gave the Berkeley campus "more computer power devoted to scientific problems" tha any other American university center.

Preparation Takes Years

It will be years before the computer can actually begin flashing the lights of its "brain cells" and recording in English the words of a Soviet scientist.

Dr. Sydney M. Lamb, lecturer in linguistics, is developing the program for the machine translation of Russian articles. He and his colleagues are analyzing up to 1,000,000 words or parts of words to provide a workable mechanical diction-

In this process of formulating translation rules, English representations will have to be found for the So iet words or parts of the words. When it is ready to begin translation, the computer, will receive instructions in the form of mathematical symbols representing words or syllables, fed to it on IBM

"Ninety per cent of the work will precede the actual mechanical translating," Dr. Lamb has estimated. "We figure we should be able to translate at a cost of less than one cent a word, if we figure the cost of the machine."

Rep. County Chairman To Speak Here Tuesday

The Young Republican Club will meet next Tuesday, December 15, in room 212 of the Science Building at 8:00 p.m.

Mr. Fortino, Republican County Chairman, will speak about canvassing, a vital part of any political program, showing how the Young Republican Club of Alma College can contribute to the over all outlook of party politics through its program and co-operation with the major political party.

To quote the president of the club, "The opportunity is open for all students to learn about and participate in one of the greatest parts of our American heritage, 'political parties.' Come. Participate, Join. The club needs you, your co-operation and your ideas."

Letters to the Editor

December 10, 1959 Whether you like it or not, you will receive a yearbook, once a year, each year, you attend ALMA. Over and over again you will see the same repetition of faces and read about re-enacted events most likely.

Let's get on the ball, burst the editor's bubble of self-importance, and drop this quaint, archaic practice. It costs too much money and lacks student interest of any sort.

Yesterday, as editor for 1960, I was asked to submit a tentative budget for the 1961 SCOTSMAN so the business office could obtain the funds. \$7,200 is a lot of money. Is the SCOTSMAN worth it?

You, the student body, pay for the yearbook. You should decide if you want it.

It seems doubtful that you want the SCOTSMAN for two reasons:

1. The lack of student participation is critical. We have made the opportunity to work as convenient as possible and have spent hours promoting interest through the bulletin board.

However, we have only to meet with the editors of the Almanian and Pine River to gain sympathy.

2. I took over the position of editor without ever working on the SCOTSMAN. Because this is a decidedly disadvantageous position, I promised Dr. Swanson that I would break in an editor for 1961. I am up against a blank wall. Creative students just don't want to bother.

The reason for this is, I am certain, the lack of student interest and help.

It seems strange that such a sum should be set aside for such an ineffectual activity.

In view of the facts, I submit that the yearbook should be

dropped; but, in truth, I hope future student interest will prove the facts wrong.

Respectfully, Brian Westveer Editor, SCOTSMAN '60

Dear Editor,

On behalf of the Vespers Committee, I wish to extend a personal invitation to the campus community to attend this Sunday's candlelight vespers service. The service will start promptly at 6:30 in the evening and will last for only about thirty or forty-five minutes at the most.

Everyone is encouraged to attend since this is a very special Christmas service. Dress will be casual, so don't worry about having to dress up in your Sunday best.

Thank you, Jim Sorenson Chairman, Vespers Committee

AWS 'Buddy Week' Monday

Buddy Week, sponsored by A. W. S., will begin Monday, December 14. Each girl participating will receive the name of her buddy Sunday night, December 13.

During this week each girl will secretly give her buddy a gift on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Buddy Week will be climaxed on Thursday by a Christmas party in Gelston Hall at 10:30.

Each girl participating will bring a final gift for her buddy to the party, and only then will she discover the identity of the girl who has been her secret buddy.

There will be square and folk dancing in Tyler Auditorium Sunday night at 7:15.

Everyone is invited.

PLACEMENT CASEMENT

James R. Pendergraff, Chief, Employee Relations and Placement Section of the Internal Revenue Service of the U.S. Treasury Department in Detroit notified the Alma College Placement Office this week that the Internal Revenue Service is recruiting approximately 200 additional technical and professional employees during the first six months of 1960.

Mr. Pendergraff plans to be on the Alma campus February 9 to interview candidates for these positions.

Liberal arts, accounting, and general business graduates will be eligible for positions in the Revenue Officer Training Program with beginning salaries of \$4890 per year, advancing to \$5985 within 18-24 months. Through promotional opportunities, Revenue Officers can advance to approximately \$10,000 per year.

The Internal Revenue Service will also be recruiting Revenue Agents; \$4980 advancing to \$7000 within 31/2 years. Promotions may result in a final salary of over \$10,000 per year.

Students interested in finding out more about these opportunities with the Internal Revenue Service should call at the Placement Office on the first floor of Old Main.

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News of Grads

Christ Goutis is attending dental school in Detroit. Conrad Ekkens is with the Birmingham, Mich. YMCA, as program secretary, after studying at Mc-Cormick Theological Seminary after graduation from Alma. Robert Ruggles is teachingg Spanish in the Alma Junior high school. His home is at 214 Walnut St., in this city.

Harold Turner has entered his first year of study at Princeton Theological Seminary, N. J., and is a candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Divinity. Princeton is the largest of the nine schools of theological education under the control of the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. James and Geneva (Gould) Fox ar studying at the U. of Wisconsin. The couple was married in September.

Bill Pike has completed basic training with the USAF at San Antonio, Tex., and is stationed at the Richard's GeBaur AFB in Grand View, Mo., where he is serving as an auditor. Bill visited the Alma campus last spring. Duane and Doris (Turnbull, '59) Aslyn live at 680 Level, Charlestown, Ind., where Duane is in his middle year at Louisville Presbyterian Seminary. Doris is teaching first grade in Jeffersonville. George Carter completed his work for a Master of Science in Education at Southern Illinois U. He is teaching physical education and coaching basketball and tennis at Willowbrook High school, Villa Park, Ill., and will be junior varsity basketball and head tennis coach. He lives at 96 S. Westmore, Lombard, Ill. Robert DeYoung is coaching and teaching in Center Point, Ia. His mailing address is Box 124 in that city. Janet Kerby Hough writes to tell us that they now welcome Frederick Kerby Hough, who was born in June. The family lives

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at Caro State Hospital, Caro. Barbara Driscoll Hickerson lives at 5534 Dons Drive, Drayton Plains. Dorothy Drummond Rathje lives at 1603 Arthur, Saginaw, where she is an elementary substitute teacher. Jean Molyneux was wed to Woodrow Choate of South Lyon in June. They will make their home in Warren, Ill. Jean did graduate work at the University of Wisconsin; Woodrow attended Dubuque University Semin-

Dick and Ruth (Hawley) Ulrich announce the arrival of a son, Darrell Richard, born Sept. 26. They live at 1229 Cherokee, Royal Oak. Beverly Eicholtz became the bride of Charles T. Siegal in Sept. She is teaching at Fowler High school and Charles is studying at M.S.U. They make their home on the M.S.U. campus. Alfred Wilson, Jr., has entered hs first year of study at Princeton Theological Seminary, N. J., where he will be a candidate for the Bachelor of Divinity degree.

John "Jack" Forbes was married in August to Sylvia Miller. The couple resides in Bad Axe. George Dice was married to Martha Jean Dent in August. The couple will live in Alma where the bride will resume her studies at Alma College. Mrs. Ruth Phillips is teaching English at Ganado Mission school in Ganado, Ariz. It is one of the projects sponsored by the National Missions of the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. Her daughter, Carole, accompanied her in the new

Orientation Comm. To Evaluate

The Orientation committee will have an evaluation meeting next Wednesday. They will plan and discuss the on-going orientation for the second se-

The whole committee will also be revamped. Members this semester were: Bill Wilson, Grace Sala, Jim Lynn, Roger Arbury, Jim Hobson and Jim White.

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Five Alma College students have had their poetry accepted for publication in the Annual Anthology of College Poetry. The almanian will bring the work of these students to the reading public.

Below are the poems of Julie Brinker, Bad Axe, sophomore; and Beverly Radford, St. Clair Shores,

A SOPHOMORE'S ESCAPE

I would truly like to know What life is all about; And dock this heavy boat I row Across the sea of doubt. A day, a night, a year goes by And people come and go, I look at life and heave a sigh And continue on to row. Oh how I'd like to drop these oars And scramble o'er the brink! A life that's filled with fun I'd score, And leave my boat to sink.

-Julie Brinker

Winding

After such a long period; So many years of perservation and tenacious Binding?

But more is infallible, and

At last the sustaining thread has rent Bowed by the weight of frustration, And the two dissevered parts each unwhole, Travel distant ways, In the process a lifetime Unsigning.

Bev Radford

SEPARATIO A MENSA ET THORO

The thread becomes increasingly taut Conclusively breaks asunder, Severing two worlds After many years of patient

Strange, isn't it, that this can occur

Pressures are overbearing and myread, And the thread is frayed From the amarathine battering That has attended the Twining.

Boyd Speaks On 3 OF EVERY 4 PHONOGRAPHS CAN USE ONE OF THESE **Reading Tests** At S.C. Meeting Reg. Priced to \$25

Dean Boyd was present at the Student Council meeting on Tuesday and made a correction in the announcement given that morning in Chapel. The original announcement placed the YOUR BEST RECORD PROTECTION Freshman class below the Sop-

homore class in performance on

the test. The reverse was true.

on the remarks made about

penalization for failure to pass

the tests. Repeated failure to

pass the tests will not exclude

an upper-classman from gradu-

ation, but may result in the col-

lege refusing to support the

graduate. No freshman will be

required to retake the test,

however, failure to pass the test

satisfactorily should indicate to

the Freshman a need to study

the readings more thoroughly in the future. Action may be

taken against Freshmen who

semester will be announced to

the student body before Christ-

mas vacation. Dean Boyd said

that opinions regarding the test-

ing program and the selection

of reading material would be

A group of 36 students, Dean

and Mrs. Boyd and Mr. and

Mrs. Porter, traveled down to

Detroit Thursday to see Archibald MacLeish's "J. B." at

welcomed by the faculty.

Wayne University.

Two of the readings for next

repeatedly fail on these tests.

Dean Boyd also commented

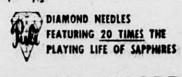
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Busby, Delavan To Attend Chgo. Convent.

Jim Delavan, president of Tri-Beta, and Barbara Busby Tri-Beta secretary, will attend the Tri-Beta Convention which will be held in Chicago over Christmas vacation.

Barbara and Jim will leave on December 27 from Lansing, and go to Chicago by plane with Dr. Lester Eyer, head of the biology department.

The convention is a part of the program of the American Association for the Advancement of Science Conventions.

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Scots Open Conference Competition

Injuries to two key players have added to Coach Hintz's headaches. The Scots, who carry a 0-3 record into the first MIAA contest of the 1959-60 season against Kalamazoo, will play without star guard, Ferris Saxton, who was injured on the recent road trip. Freshman guard, Charles Barge, is also hampered by an ankle injury.

After losing 73-45 to Central, Alma went on the road. This too proved disastrous as they were beaten 91-75 at Wooster and 81-55 at Youngstown.

Saxton was injured in the Wooster game and had to sit out the Youngstown game and will probobaly miss the next two games. Barge played despite the painful injury.

Despite the gloom of the defeats, however, there were also some bright spots. Dave Peters, Len Wozniak, and Tom Mc-Phillips all played well.

Peters, who showed great promise as a freshman did not play very much last year but this year he proved that he still had the form which made him an All-Stater in high school. Peters scored 21 points against Wooster, his highest output in two years.

Woszniak, the 6' 8" freshman from Thurston, played so well that he earned a starting berth against Kalamazoo. Hintz maintains that the lanky freshman will improve as he gains experience, but even the coach must have been pleasantly surprised by the rapid progress.

mcPhillips, who seems to have established himself as a very capable reserve, and is fighting for a starting berth, scored 5 and 10 points in the two games, respectively, and looked good under the boards against the much taller opposition.

The Youngstown game was quite close until the Scot's big man, Butch Cantrell, went out with five personals in the first

half.
Without Saxton and Cantrell, the "tall" man was 6'3" Jim Northrup, who played a tremendous game scoring 25 points at Youngstown and 17 at Wooster. It was an uneven battle, however, as Youngstown's two 6 foot 6 rebounders controlled the boards.

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Last year's basketball captain and inspirational leader, Butch Cantrell.

Cantrell Alma's Top Rebounder

Butch Cantrell, the Captain of last year's squad was named the team's most inspirational leader by his teammates. The 6 foot 4 inch junior from Kellogg well deserved this honor.

Last year he led the team with more than eleven rebounds per game and scored an average of 10 points per game. He played and was outstanding in a position which is usually handled by men three and four inches taller.

At Kellogg High School, Cantrell played four sports and earned ten letters. He was chosen for the All-Conference team.

Besides being an excellent rebounder, Cantrell is also a fine defensive player.

After graduation, Butch, who is majoring in Physical Education, plans to go into teaching and coaching.

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Let It Snow!

enough to play.

February 6 has been set as the definite date for the annual Snow Carnival. The theme "Winter Mardi Gras" will be carried out in the snow statues and the activities throughout the day.

The probable starters for the

Kalamazoo game will be Woz-

niak and Cantrell at the posts

with Northrup, Phillippi and

Peters in the guard positions.

This will also be the line-up at

Adrian on Saturday, unless

Saxton and Barge are well

The day will be climaxed by the Masquarade Mardi Gras Ball, presented by the Alpha Theta sorority.

Stag and tag tickets will be available.

Events of the day will include a skating exhibition, a facultystudent hockey game, crowning of the Mardi Gras Queen (to be chosen in January), and the traditional snowball fight.

Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes at the Mardi Gras Ball. The Snow Carnival is sponsored by the Tyler Board.

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